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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Craig A. Rosen et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1653  
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Application No.: 10/775,180 ) Examiner: Karen C. Carlson, Ph.D.  
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Filed: February 11, 2004 )  
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For: ALBUMIN FUSION PROTEINS ) Confirmation No.: 1800

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a two months extension of time to reply to the Office action of October 3, 2005. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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